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ARREST RELEASE

DATE & TIME 09/29/08 12:04 PM

Bureau: Investigative Services Bureau

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Incident: Narcotics Search Warrant at 1117 19th St.

MESSAGE

Members of the Rockford Police Department's Narcotics Unit have been investigating a subject who has been involved with selling cocaine.

Narcotics detectives identified the individual as Phuong Thanh Trinh. The several weeks long investigation concluded on 9/25/08 when the Rockford Police Department's Narcotics Unit arrested Trinh outside his residence at 1117 19th St. and executed a search warrant there. When Trinh was taken into custody, he had over 220 individual bags of cocaine that were packaged for sale. The Narcotics Unit also recovered a large amount of United States Currency, two handguns, and a rifle. Trinh was charged with seven counts of Unlawful Delivery of a Controlled Substance and one count of Possession with Intent to Deliver Cocaine (100-400 grams). Trinh was lodged in the Winnebago County Jail.

Arrested: Trinh, Phuong T. 34, Rockford

Charge: Seven counts - Unlawful Delivery of a Controlled Substance (Cocaine) within 1,000 feet of a Church and Possession with intent to deliver cocaine (100-400 grams).

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Bond: \$250,000

Trinh is presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.



Phuong T. Trinh